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In re Application of)

HEIDEMANN et al.) Art Unit: 1625

Serial No. 09/830,996) Examiner: Oh

Filed: May 3, 2001)

For: SILVER- AND VANADIUM-CONTAINING MULTIMETAL OXIDE AND ITS USE

To: Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

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1. [X] <u>NOTICE OF APPEAL</u>: Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated <u>March 3, 2004</u> of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting for more than the third time <u>claims 1-8</u>.

2. [] A check in the amount of \$\sum_\$ is attached to cover the required extension of time fee

3. [] BRIEF on appeal in this application is transmitted herewith.

4. [] An Oral Hearing is requested.

[] The Oral Hearing fee of \$290.00 is enclosed.

5. [X] Fee \$330.00

[X] Enclosed

6. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be further required, or credit any over payment to Account No. 11-0345. A <u>duplicate</u> copy of this sheet is attached.

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